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(57) Abstract

Peptide mimetics of structure X herein which (i) provide a wide range of sidechain functions at all sidechain positions, (ii) can be incorporated in a peptide sequence, (iii) can be readily synthesized and (iv) have a variety of conformations. There is also provided a novel process which can provide valuable intermediates in relation to production of peptide mimetics of structure X which intermediates have a high degree of chemo- and stereo-selectivity. Preferred mimetics include structures I, II, III, IV, V and VI.

General structure of the mimetic systems and preferred cyclic turn and loop mimetic systems. Refer to the main text for a full description of the Q, R, Pg, Z and M groups.